

Attorney, to the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators, in the whole & for the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this fourteenth day of April 1848.

Whereas the Commissioners of Dorchester County, by virtue of a supplement to the act entitled an additional supplement to the act entitled an act to regulate Ferries, have contracted with the said Levin J. Dunnock to keep the Ferry over Slaughter Creek from Taylor's Island to Mulkins' creek, and agree to allow the said Levin J. Dunnock the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars, current money, for the same.

Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Levin J. Dunnock shall faithfully & diligently keep the said Ferry over Slaughter Creek from Taylor's Island to Mulkins' creek from day light to day light from the first of November to the first of March, and from an hour before to an hour after day light for the residue of the year, commencing the tenth day of May 1848 and ending twelve months thereafter, and shall keep constantly and in good order a scow that will safely carry three passengers and their horses at one trip, with an able bodied and skilful hand to attend the said Ferry, & shall not charge or receive any greater price for services than what is allowed by law, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise of full force and virtue in law.

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
James Higgins - John L. Willis

John J. Dunnock (Seal)
John W. Hayward (Seal)
John Tubman (Seal)

Approved by the board of Commissioners for Dorchester County,
April 17th 1848 - By order East William Reed Clk C. D. C.

State of Maryland
Know all men by these presents
That I, John Reed, do hereby certify

Be it remembered that the following Bond was
made on the 17th day of April 1848, to wit:
I know all men by these, that we John
Reed, James E. Douglass, John W. Montine

of Dorchester County, are held & firmly bound unto the State of Maryland, in the full and just sum of three hundred dollars, current money of the United States, to be paid to the said State, or its certain Attorney, to the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators, in the whole & for the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals & dated this 17th day of April 1848. Whereas the Commissioners of Dorchester County, by virtue of a supplement to the act entitled an additional supplement to the act entitled an act to regulate Ferries, have contracted with the said John Reed to keep the Ferry over the North West Fork